

**CLAIMS**

**What is claimed is:**

1. A method for determining flight cancellations, comprising the steps of:
  - obtaining flight financial data from at least one flight financial data store for at least two flight cancellation candidates;
  - processing said flight financial data for said flight cancellation candidates; and
  - presenting the financial data for said flight cancellation candidates.
2. The method of claim 1, further comprising canceling at least one of said flight cancellation candidates based upon said presented financial data.
3. The method of claim 1, wherein said flight financial data comprises a value of at least one selected from the group consisting of cargo, United States Postal Service mail, passenger ticket, and fuel requirements data.
4. The method of claim 1, wherein said flight financial data is provided in substantially real time.
5. The method of claim 1, further comprising the step of obtaining flight operations data, said flight operations data being utilized by said obtaining step to determine flight cancellation candidates.

6. The method of claim 5, wherein said flight operations data comprises at least one selected from the group consisting of crew and plane availability data.

7. The method of claim 1, wherein said flight financial data store comprises at least one selected from the group consisting of cargo, crew, reservations, and flight operations information.

8. A method for determining flight cancellations, comprising the steps of:  
obtaining flight financial data from at least one flight financial data store for at least two flight cancellation candidates;  
comparing said flight financial data for said flight cancellation candidates; and  
canceling at least one of said flight cancellation candidates based upon said comparing step.

9. A system for determining flight cancellations comprising means for storing flight financial data, means for determining flight cancellation candidates, and means for comparing said flight financial data for said flight cancellation candidates.

10. A system for determining flight cancellations comprising:  
means for obtaining flight financial data from at least one flight financial data store for at least two flight cancellation candidates;  
means for processing said flight financial data for said flight cancellation candidates; and

means for presenting the financial data for said flight cancellation candidates.

11. The system of claim 10, further comprising means for canceling at least one of said flight cancellation candidates based upon said presented financial data.

12. The system of claim 10, wherein said flight financial data comprises a value of at least one selected from the group consisting of cargo, United States Postal Service mail, ticket, and fuel requirements data.

13. The system of claim 10, wherein said flight financial data is provided in substantially real time.

14. The system of claim 10, further comprising means for obtaining flight operations data, said flight operations data being utilized by said means for obtaining flight financial data to determine flight cancellation candidates.

15. The system of claim 14, wherein said flight operations data comprises at least one selected from the group consisting of crew and plane availability data.

16. The system of claim 10, wherein said flight financial data store comprises at least one selected from the group consisting of cargo, crew, reservations, and flight operations information.

17. A system for determining flight cancellations, comprising:
  - means for obtaining flight financial data from at least one flight financial data store for at least two flight cancellation candidates;
  - means for comparing said flight financial data for said flight cancellation candidates; and
  - means for canceling at least one of said flight cancellation candidates based upon a determination from said means for comparing.
18. A machine readable storage, having stored thereon a computer program having a plurality of code sections executable by a machine for causing the machine to perform the steps of:
  - obtaining flight financial data from at least one flight financial data store for at least two flight cancellation candidates;
  - processing said flight financial data for said flight cancellation candidates; and
  - presenting the financial data for said flight cancellation candidates.
19. The machine readable storage of claim 18, further comprising canceling at least one of said flight cancellation candidates based upon said presented financial data.
20. The machine readable storage of claim 18, wherein said flight financial data comprises a value of at least one selected from the group consisting of cargo, United States Postal Service mail, ticket, and fuel requirements data.

21. The machine readable storage of claim 18, wherein said flight financial data is provided in substantially real time.
22. The machine readable storage of claim 18, further comprising the step of obtaining flight operations data, said flight operations data being utilized by said obtaining step to determine flight cancellation candidates.
23. The machine readable storage of claim 22, wherein said flight operations data comprises at least one selected from the group consisting of crew and plane availability data.
24. The machine readable storage of claim 18, wherein said flight financial data store comprises at least one selected from the group consisting of cargo, crew, reservations, and flight operations information.
25. A machine readable storage, having stored thereon a computer program having a plurality of code sections executable by a machine for causing the machine to perform the steps of:
  - obtaining flight financial data from at least one flight financial data store for at least two flight cancellation candidates;
  - comparing said flight financial data for said flight cancellation candidates; and

canceling at least one of said flight cancellation candidates based upon said comparing step.